

# FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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### Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church The Ten Commandments

**The Sixth Commandment: You shall not commit adultery.**

424. What is adultery? Is divorce the appropriate response?

**Adultery is committed when two people, at least one of whom is married to someone else, have sexual relations. Adultery is the fundamental betrayal of love, the violation of a covenant that was made in God's sight, and an injustice to one's neighbor. Jesus himself explicitly declared the indissolubility of marriage: "What therefore God has joined together, let not man put asunder" (Mk 10:9). Citing the original will of the Creator, Jesus abolished the toleration of divorce in the Old Covenant. [2353, 2364-2365, 2382-2384]**

The encouraging promise of this message of Jesus is, "as children of your heavenly Father you are capable of lifelong love." Nevertheless, it is not easy to remain faithful to one's spouse for a lifetime. We must not condemn people whose marriages fail. Nevertheless, Christians who irresponsibly bring divorce incur guilt. They sin against God's love, which is visible in marriage. They sin against the abandoned spouse and against abandoned children. Of course the faithful partner in marriage that has become unbearable can move out of shared living accommodations. In some serious circumstances, it may be necessary to go through a civil divorce. In well-founded cases the Church can examine the validity of the marriage in an annulment proceeding. 269

### 2016 DONATION ENVELOPES

are available in the foyer and are in numerical order. Please take **ONLY** the box with your name on it. **Please discard your 2015 unused envelopes.** For parishioners who wish to use envelopes, please get a registration form from the gift shop.

**Thank You for your cooperation!**

### VALENTINE'S DAY DINNER DANCE

Saturday February 13, 2016

6:30 pm St. Aidan Parish Hall

Tickets: Adult & Teens: \$25.00 each

Organized by St. Aidan Knights of Columbus 11332

Tickets will be available in the foyer after all Masses this weekend.

**How true it is that God alone knows the secrets of the heart. We ourselves are so short-sighted.**

**- Saint Therese of the Child Jesus -**

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday: January 30:

5:00 pm +Theodolina & Valentin Sequeira  
+Glenville & Virginia Stuart  
+Generoso & Noemi Palma  
+Regalado Dagdag  
+Charles & Caroline Fernandes

### Sunday January 31:

9:00 am +Julia Remando  
  
10:30 am In Thanksgiving of Edlyn Bathan  
  
12:00 pm Pro - Populo

### Monday February 1:

9:00 am +Paul & Ellen Loo

### Tuesday February 2:

9:00 am All Souls & All Saints

### Wednesday February 3:

7:30 pm +Noemi & Generoso Palma

### Thursday February 4:

9:00 am +Julita Recto

### Friday February 5:

9:30 am Celebrant's Intention

7:30 pm +Rosa Loong

### Saturday February 6:

9:00 am Celebrant's Intention

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**  
**on Fridays starts with Mass at 9:30 am and**  
**concludes with Benediction at 7:00 pm**

### PARISH LENTEN MISSION

**Please mark your calendar for our Parish Lenten Mission which will be on Monday March 7, Tuesday March 8, Wednesday March 9, 2016 at 7:30 pm**

**Violence never again! War never again!**  
**Terrorism never again! In God's name, may all**  
**religions bring upon earth justice and peace,**  
**forgiveness, life and love!**

**- Saint John Paul II -**

**January 31, 2016**

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**JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY**

**VISITING THE HOLY DOOR**

On Saturday February 6, 2016 at 10:00 am, a chartered coach will leave St. Aidan Church to St. Patrick Church on McCall St., Toronto. Registration will be taken at the gift shop - \$10.00 per person. This trip will be an opportunity for us to gain a plenary indulgence applicable to oneself or to the dead.

**FUNDRAISING - STUBENVILLE CONFERENCE**

**Valentine's Weekend**

**Saturday 13th and Sunday 14th, February**

Roses and Carnations will be available after all weekend Masses for a donation of \$3.00 each.

**SCHOLARSHIP**

The Toronto Diocesan Council of the Catholic Women's League of Canada is offering a scholarship to St. Michael's College. The scholarship is open to any young woman who is of Catholic faith, who is completing her secondary school education, and who has indicated on her application to the University of Toronto that St. Michael's College is her first choice. The applicant must be entering the Faculty of Arts and Science in one of the following areas of study: Commerce, Computer Science, Humanities and Social Sciences or Sciences. The applications must be submitted by **May 31, 2016**. For further information, please contact the Education and Health Convener of St. Aidan 's CWL: Naomi Patterson - 416 493 0963

**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT THE PAUL**

**Tel: 647 772 1319**

**www.svdptoronto.org**

"The reward for Christian charity is the joy that one feels after having performed a good deed" - Don Bosco

Your concern, thoughtfulness and generosity to our **neighbour-in-need**, is a testimony of the many blessings from God. Just a friendly reminder, the "**Thunder & Lightning**" casseroles for the Good Shepherd Centre, will be picked up on **the First Friday of the month**.

We sincerely appreciate and thank you for your support to the POOR BOX and the CASSEROLES.

**God will give either what we ask,  
or what God knows to be profitable to us.  
- Saint Bernard of Clairvaux -**

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR  
CONSECRATED LIFE**

Today Sunday, January 31, 2016, at St. Paul Basilica, 3:00pm, there will be a special Mass to close the Jubilee Year for Consecrated Life. Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick will preside at the Mass in celebration of the vocation and witness of these special men and women religious who are such a vital and important part of the life and ministry of the Church in our Archdiocese. **All are welcome to attend.**

**MARRIAGE SUNDAY 2016**

In 2016, the Archdiocese of Toronto will celebrate Marriage Sunday at the parish level on the weekend of February 6/7. Cardinal Collins has also announced a special archdiocesan-wide gathering to honour married couples that will take place on **Saturday February 13, 2016 at 4:30 pm at St. Andrew Kim Parish in North York**. His Eminence extends invitation to all married couples, in particular those who will celebrate their 25th, 40th or 50+ wedding anniversary anytime throughout 2016 to join him for Mass and a reception to honour their fidelity and faithfulness. Worldwide Marriage Encounter, a local lay movement, is helping to co-ordinate the gathering. Loved ones and family members of those honored are most welcome to attend. To ensure special reserved seating for honored couples, pre-registration is required. Visit [www.archtoronto.org/marriage](http://www.archtoronto.org/marriage) to register and to find more information about Marriage Sunday and our archdiocesan celebration. Questions can also be directed to Dane & Anne MacCarthy at: 416 964 8694.

**"The Love of Christ urges us on" to radically respond  
to His call whole-heartily.**

**Jesus is inviting you to spend time with Him  
so that you may discover His desire for you.**

**FEBRUARY 26TH TO 28TH, 2016  
ST. AGUSTINE'S SEMINARY**

This will be an opportunity for young men of 18 years and older to spend a weekend with time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples through the Catholic priesthood.

**ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE  
NATIONAL SHIRNES OF QUEBEC**

Friday July 1 - Monday July 4, 2016

Organized by the Catholic Women's League of Canada, St. Aidan Council. Please read the poster in the foyer for more detailed information.